

# THE HAMLIN HERALD

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## School of Instruction In Hamlin April 3

As announced last week, the Parent-Teacher Association will hold a District School of Instruction in the Hamlin High School auditorium on Tuesday, April 3, beginning promptly at 10:00 o'clock and continuing until 4:30 P. M. Everyone interested is urged to be present as much of the time as possible, since the local organization is eager that the meeting be well attended.

The regular monthly meeting will be held next Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Lott Shell, assisted by Mrs. A. Spencer, will direct the program on "Making the Most of Success and Failure." Special entertainment numbers will be given by pupils of the first grade.

## School Lunch Room Fed Two Local Clubs

To demonstrate how the Grade School Lunch Room works, and how many are cared for there at the noon meal, and also to get the men of the Lions and Rotary Clubs to see the Grammar School building (as it stands), an invitation was given them to eat their lunch up there (the Lions on Tuesday and the Rotarians on Wednesday).

The magnitude and efficiency of the Lunch Room was something new for the Hamlin men to see. The building that has served so many Hamlin children for so long was nothing especially new. Both the Lunch Room and the Building are doing a grand job. The poor old building has always suffered for a roof that would actually turn water. It has always been hard to maintain, for several reasons. It needs a lot of modernizing and it will continue its usefulness for many years.

## Easter Holiday Monday

The Hamlin Schools will observe Monday, April 2, as Easter Holiday. Regular classes will resume on Tuesday, April 3.

## County Cotton Ginnings Released For 1944 Crop

This week we give a condensed report of the cotton produced and ginned in Texas' counties from the crop of 1944, as compared with 1943. Only those counties receiving FORTY thousand or more bales are given.

COUNTY	1944	1943
Cameron	53,359	32,275
Collin	57,018	45,696
Dawson	50,898	48,071
Ellis	62,598	57,280
El Paso	57,733	57,088
Fannin	45,896	38,046
Hidalgo	40,404	40,784
Hill	47,433	39,366
Hockley	67,053	58,564
Hunt	49,052	41,750
JONES	43,811	29,059
Lamb	49,947	51,055
Lubbock	95,964	84,520
Lynn	89,084	71,584
Nueces	54,273	81,771
Terry	43,644	29,482
Williamson	45,947	60,342

Many guesses are being made as to the acreage for 1945. It might be higher than in 1944. A mild winter would also indicate that more danger will be expected from insects this year than in 1944.

## MRS. C. E. LaBAUME'S MOTHER DIED AT CISCO LAST WEEK

Mrs. Lillian Burnett Jones, mother of Mrs. C. E. LaBaume of Hamlin, died at her home in Cisco, Tuesday of last week. Those attending the funeral in Cisco on Wednesday, included the following from Hamlin: a brother, P. C. Burnet; a daughter, and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. LaBaume, Miss Inez, Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. George LaBaume and little son, Jerry Ronald; Rev. and Mrs. Dan D. Jones; Mrs. W. H. Murphree; Mrs. P. E. Smith and Miss Mildred Smith.

Mrs. N. M. Armstrong and daughter, Peggy, returned Sunday from Loving, New Mexico, where they had spent a week visiting their husband and father, who is employed with the Loving Oil Mill.

## Hamlin People Witness Presentation of Medals At Camp Barkley

The Herald Editor and a group of friends of the family of L. M. Huddleston of the Hitson community last Saturday afternoon went to Camp Barkley which the Army had designated as the place and time to deliver to two bereaved families, medals of valor in memory and honor of soldiers who died for their country in the invasion of France last summer.



S/Sgt. LEWIS D. HUDDLESTON

This was our first time to witness this kind of ceremony, and we must say that it was a short period promoting deep feelings and reflections.

In the party from this community were Mr. Huddleston and his children, a son, H. E. Huddleston, and wife and daughter, Alice, of Leveland; daughter, Mrs. Ashburn Branscum, husband and children, Reta and Ashburn, Jr., of Rotan; daughter, Mrs. S. P. Willis, and husband, of Hitson; daughter, Mrs. John Thomas, and her daughter, Brenda, of Brownfield; and a daughter, Mrs. E. L. Ward, who makes her home with her father at Hitson, while her husband is in Germany. The list of close friends of this family included Mr. and Mrs. Billie Gray and Mr. Holland of Hitson; Oscar C. Byrd, formerly of Hitson, and now of Globe, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fletcher, Jr., and two children, W. L. III, and little Miss Marylan; and Editor Bowen Pepe of Hamlin.

The other family in the ceremony was Mrs. Etta K. Danovsky and little one-year-old son, Andrew J. Danovsky, Jr., to whom was presented the Bronze Star Medal, posthumously awarded to the little boy's father, Captain Andrew J. Danovsky, Sr., also of the 90th Division, who died from wounds received in action on August 2, 1944. Both Captain Danovsky and T/Sgt. Lewis D. Huddleston had trained at Camp Barkley, but they were not in the same regiment.

The scenes in Camp Barkley, now so much abandoned, so quiet, so lifeless in comparison with former days; and out there on the wide parade grounds, in the high, March winds were the few battle-dressed soldiers, waiting quietly for a long time to participate in the solemn ceremony to honor brother comrades who had paid their all...these men, so grim, so "iron-like," still obeying orders faithfully and true, yes, our mind was crowded with a million thoughts...then the passing in review before the family and friends, the band doing its best in the high winds, and the strong soldier carrying that lovely flag, straining and holding against the wind...then the presentations, first to the little mother and baby, then to the sad-hearted father, both firm and steadfast as the citations were read and delivered...courtesies of Colonel Taylor E. Darby and his assistant officers, all made an accumulation of sentiment that no one can forget.

Following the presentations all of the party were asked by Col. Darby to assemble in the Officers' Mess Hall for light refreshments. Nothing seemed to have been overlooked by the officers, and the Herald desires to express for those families their sincere appreciation for every courtesy and expression of sympathy.

The official report is as follows:

In a dual-presentation ceremony at Camp Barkley last Saturday afternoon, the Silver Star Medal posthumously awarded to S/Sgt. Lewis D. Huddleston, Infantry, of Hamlin, was presented to his father, Lewis M. Huddleston of Route 2, Hamlin.

At the same time a year-old child, Andrew J. Danovsky, Jr., held in the arms of his mother, Mrs. Etta K. Danovsky, 1110 Metador Ave., Abilene, was presented with the Bronze Star Medal posthumously awarded to his father, Captain Andrew J.

## Get Your Scrap Paper Into The Fight!

Some of you forgot the last time that scrap paper was collected, but the members of Beta Sigma Phi will be around again Thursday, April 5, to pick up your paper. We are doing the little bit that we can. Won't you help us?

It will save so much time if you will take an extra two minutes and tie your magazines and newspapers into bundles. Placing them so the bundles will be in sight from the street will also prevent our missing any.

The collection will begin at 4:00 P. M., Thursday, April 5, so please cooperate by having your bundled paper on the steps or the curb by that time so that it will be picked up.

Mrs. Clara Verner came Sunday night from her home in Pasadena, Calif., to be with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Wendel, who is very ill at her home in East Hamlin. Mrs. Wendel has been in ill health for some time.

## Danovsky.

Both Captain Danovsky and Sergeant Huddleston had been members of the 90th Infantry Division, and had served with that organization when it was in training at Camp Barkley.

One of the largest groups of relatives and friends of a decorated soldier ever to witness a presentation at Camp Barkley stood in the reviewing line as the medals, two of the nation's highest military awards, were pinned on the recipients by Colonel Taylor E. Darby.

The citation accompanying S/Sgt. Huddleston's award reads:

"For gallantry in action on 13 June 1944 near \*\*, \*\*, when his platoon was attacking a strong enemy position and his company was held up by intense enemy fire, Sergeant Huddleston placed himself at the head of the squad and courageously led it on an assault on the enemy position. He repeatedly exposed himself to enemy fire, maintained control of his men and inspired them to assault the enemy and take the position. His disregard during the action for his own safety, an example set on the field of battle, was in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service."

Captain Danovsky was cited:

"For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy in \*\*\* on 24 July and 2 August 1944."

Troops of the Service Detachment, 1845th Unit, participated in the ceremony, passing in review with the 355th Army Service Forces Band. The troops were commanded by Lt. Oscar F. Goggins, Jr. Major Ernest R. Farrell was escorting officer for Mrs. Danovsky and Mr. Huddleston. The citations were read by Lt. Thomas J. McDermott, adjutant.

Take from our hearts the love of the beautiful, and you take away all the charm of life.—Rousseau.

## Pfc. Sidney Ray Teague Killed In Germany

The War Department reported to Mr. and Mrs. Ray S. Teague that their son, Pfc. Sidney Ray Teague, had been killed in action with the Third Army in Germany on March 15, 1945.

The last letter from Sidney was dated by him on March 3rd and was received by his mother about the 15th of March.

He left to join the Army on April 10, 1944, being inducted at Fort Sill and later spent 17 weeks in Camp Hood. He went overseas about the first of last December, landing in England, and after Christmas began fighting on the Continent.

Private First Class Ray Teague was born in Jones County, Dec. 6, 1945, and was just past 18 when he entered the Army. He lacked about a month finishing high school at Cross Plains, but was granted his diploma. He was a professing Christian but had not joined a church.

Survivors are his parents, four sisters, Mrs. Roy Thorne, Anson; and Mrs. Robbie Taylor, Mrs. J. C. Capple, and Miss Winnie Beth Teague, of Hamlin; and one brother, John Albert Teague of Hamlin. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Teague of Cross Plains, and his maternal grandmother is Mrs. W. E. McClendon of Cisco.

Troy volunteered for military service January 17, 1944, after spending two years with Roar Aircraft in San Diego, Calif. He was placed in the 3rd Marine Corps, at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif. With this group of Marines, he was sent overseas in August of 1944 to Guam, remaining there until Feb. 21, when he landed with the 3rd Marines to reinforce the 4th and 5th Marines already on Iwo Jima. Six days were spent in fierce fighting before his death on Feb. 27, 1945. His parents received the message from the War Department March 23.

Troy was a consecrated Christian and a member of the Fairview Baptist Church. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ford, four sisters, Mrs. Damon Lieb of Portales, New Mexico, Inez Ford, Portland, Ore., Lola Fay and Wanda Fay Ford of Hamlin; six brothers, Eudell Ford of Hamlin, H. L. Ford, Stamford, Bill Ford of Camp Hood, Texas, and Joe, David, and Douglas, at home; and his grandmother, Mrs. J. K. Ford of Lueders. This is the first death in the immediate family.

Troy leaves a multitude of friends who sympathize with the grief-stricken family.

## MRS. L. L. COWAN MOVES PLANT TO BRICK BUILDING

In front of the Post Office is a nice, small brick building that was built many years ago by the late L. L. Cowan for his tailoring business. A few years ago, Mrs. Cowan sold the building and it was used as the Railway Express quarters. Recently Mrs. Cowan purchased the building, and after doing a great deal of "renovation" and adding several improvements, this week she is moving her equipment in to "be at home" again. She has carried on the business in an admirable manner, and every indication is that she is making quite a "go" of it. Her host of friends are glad with her and her son, Leslie Cowan of the U. S. Navy, that the Cowan business is back home.

To the growing youngster, home is but a filling station.

## SCHOOL NOTICES

Has a teacher called at your home

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## Branscum Radiator Service Opens Here

The past eleven years W. A. Branscum has worked for Commissioner's Precinct No. 1. This week he is going into the Radiator Service for himself...his place of business is in the Walker Station next door, south of the Herald.

Mr. Branscum is starting a business long needed in this community. Now, your radiator can be boiled but, blown out, cleaned—right away at home. Notice Mr. Branscum's announcement elsewhere in this issue.

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The girl who exercises stoops to contour.

Pvt. William Harrison has sent his Dad a telegram stating that he had landed in the States from Iceland and would have a furlough soon.

S&amp;S

An hour's conversation with a wise man is more helpful than a dozen books on the same subject.

### NOTICE!

Dr. Baker, Eyesight Specialist Office Visits at Hamlin Hotel Will Be:

Wed., April 4 Wed., May 3  
Wed., May 30 Wed., June 27  
Wed., July 25 Wed., Aug. 22  
Wed., Sept. 19

## 'Think on these things'

EDITORIAL

### "Atonement For Sin"

In the next two issues of The Hamlin Herald we wish to discuss the above theme. We shall this week note the Old Testament Idea and next week the New Testament.

The word "atonement" occurs with great frequency in the Old Testament, but in the New Testament it occurs only once in the Authorized Version (Rom. 5:11), and not at all in the American Revised Version. We are not to conclude from this, however, that atonement is not a New Testament doctrine; the idea runs through the New Testament like a golden thread, even if the word is not used.

In the study of this doctrine, as in that of so many others, we must begin with the Old Testament in order to an adequate understanding of our subject. What does the word mean? What does it signify? How, and for what purpose, is atonement made? These and similar questions must be faced.

#### OLD TESTAMENT IDEA

The Hebrew word translated "to make atonement" (Kaphar) literally means "to cover, to hide, to remove from sight." It has reference to sin. The idea was to cover up sin from the sight of God, because he hated it. (Prov. 6:16) It did not carry the idea of trying to deceive God about sin, but rather that of removing it from before his eyes out of respect of His Holiness.

It is worth noting that sin could not be covered except in the specific ways that God directed. Thus when Achan hid in his tent the objects stolen from Jericho (Josh. 7) he had not made atonement for his stealing. He had hidden the stolen things, to be sure; but that was his own device and not the way that God had commanded atonement to be made.

Whenever man sins against God, the finite against the infinite, the creature against the Creator, he is worthy of death. Nothing less than his own blood, or that of a substitute satisfactory to God, can hide, cover, his sin and meet the demands of justice. But if God had exacted the penalty from the man himself in every instance, the human race would long since have become extinct. But out of his graciousness, God made provision for a dumb animal to be substituted for man; that permitted the human race to survive. The idea of Old Testament atonement, then, is that the blood of the sacrificial animal "covers" the sin of the one sacrificing, or in whose behalf the animal was being sacrificed.

After the giving of the Mosaic law and the establishment of the Levitical priesthood, the ordinary Israelite did not offer sacrifices except in very rare instances. Instead, when he sinned, he took his sacrificial animal to the central place of worship (tabernacle, temple), where an officiating priest offered the sacrifice for him. Hence, the constantly-recurring expression, "the priest shall make atonement for him," or some similar statement. The animal blood that was shed by the priest "covered" the sin of the offerer in the sense that God was pleased that the sinner turned back to Him and did as commanded. The "covering," of course, was in a symbolical sense. God agreed, on certain conditions, to disregard the sin that had been committed.

From the foregoing it will be observed that "atonement" was the object, directly or indirectly, of the whole Hebrew sacrificial system. This sacrificial system culminated in the great Day of Atonement, which fell on the tenth day of the seventh month of the Jewish religious year. That day was one of rest and holy convocation. The people fasted and mourned for their sins. Special sacrifices were made, and the high priest went into the holy of holies with the blood of two sacrificial animals which he sprinkled before and on the mercy seat, where God was supposed to sit. Thus atonement was made for all the sins of all the people committed during the past year. The very fact that it was necessary for the high priest to carry blood into the most holy place every year suggests that animal sacrifice was inadequate, that the system was imperfect, and that the very atonement he made was only temporarily efficacious.

But the very nature of God requires a perfect system in order to do justice to His Holiness. Consequently, he taught Israel to look forward to a new lawgiver (Deut. 18:15) and a new covenant (Jer. 31:31ff.). And this brings us to the fulfillment of the promise in the New Testament. We'll discuss this phase of the subject next week.

Remember our invitation to you—to come and study and worship with us.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

HAMLIN, TEXAS

## A CITY ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO MAINTAIN ANY BUSINESS OR PREMISES IN SUCH A WAY AS TO BE DANGEROUS OR INJURIOUS TO THE HEALTH, COMFORT OR WELFARE OF ANY OF THE INHABITANTS OF THE CITY OF HAMLIN, TEXAS; REGULATING THE MAINTAINING AND KEEPING OF COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK PENS USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENCLOSING LIVESTOCK OFFERED FOR SALE; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR REGULATIONS ON THE PARKING OF CATTLE TRUCKS OR ANY OTHER VEHICLES USED IN THE TRANSPORTATION OF LIVESTOCK, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITHE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HAMLIN, TEXAS:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to keep or cause to be kept any business, premises or establishment of any kind in such a manner as to be unhealthy or offensive, or so that foul, nauseous, offensive or unwholesome liquid or substance shall flow or be thrown or discharged therefrom, into the alley, gutter, lot or other adjacent ground, whether public or private.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to carry on, or cause to be carried on, any business, trade or profession which is injurious to the health of any of the inhabitants of this city, or to suffer or allow anything, or state of things, on premises owned or controlled by him or them, which does or is liable to produce such results.

Section 3. Since the keeping of several head of livestock on any premises for a period of time is liable to produce the prohibited results set out in the preceding section do hereby further ordain that no commercial livestock pens of any kind or nature whatsoever shall be kept, maintained or operated within a distance of three hundred (300) feet of any residence or business house situated within the city limits of the City of Hamlin, Texas.

Section 4. All barns, stables, corrals, yards or enclosures, in which animals are kept for the purpose of offering the same for sale or for commercial feeding purposes shall be kept in a sanitary and non-obnoxious condition, and the manure and other refuse therefrom shall be kept in water-tight manure pits and boxes tightly covered in such manner as to completely exclude vermin and insects; and the premises are to be cleaned of their manure twice daily and removed from the premises three times a week, and at no time is there to be an accumulation of more than one yard of manure.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful hereafter for any person, firm or corporation to park or leave standing within the fire limits of this city, whether parked on public or private property, any truck, trailer, or other vehicle commonly used in the transportation of livestock for a continuous period in excess of one hour.

Section 6. Any person, firm or corporation shall upon conviction be fined a sum not exceeding \$100.00, and each day of such violation shall constitute a separate offense and shall be punished as such. In all cases of conviction the same shall be held to imply a notice to abate condition causing the violation.

Section 7. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict here-with are hereby expressly repealed.

Passed and approved this the 20th day of March, A. D., 1945.

JOE L. CULBERTSON,

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H. A. Payne, from Syracuse, New York, and Bunyan Payne, from Corpus Christi, Texas, returned to their stations Tuesday after spending a leave here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Payne. Both boys are serving in the Navy.

S&amp;S

Pfc. George Willis Miller arrived Sunday night from the New Castle Army Air Base, near Wilmington, Delaware, to spend just a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Miller, on Rt. 1. This is the first time this young fellow has been at home in nearly two years, and during all that time he has become a married man and a father. His wife and little daughter, Theresa, age four months, accompanied him to Hamlin. They will not return with him, as it seems he will not be at the same base much longer. This is his wife's first time to see Texas.

S&amp;S

Mrs. E. R. Richardson (formerly Miss Ruby White) reports that her brother, Paul White, was recently promoted to Second Lieutenant in Paris. Paul is a fine old Hamlin kid, and we are glad to learn of his success.

S&amp;S

The Herald is being renewed to Bobby Joe Burns, a sailor with the rank of S 1/c. He has been in Southampton, England, for some time. He formerly lived in Hamlin and attended high school here. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burns of San Diego, Calif.

S&amp;S

Master Sgt. William G. Garrison, the old Hamlin boy who served so long in the Pacific, writes us from somewhere in Europe that he had "been pretty busy as things are on the move again. Hope it brings this awful mess to an end soon...I am enjoying the Herald very much."

(Each time we hear from Sgt. Billy we think of his brother who died in the early days of the war in the Philippines...both boys have offered all for their country.)

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### IN THE PHILIPPINES

"Just a few lines to let you know that I am OK. As you see in my address, I am in the Philippine Islands and am enjoying myself very much. We got here while the first landing was still young, and I have seen a little action but none to brag about. This isn't bad country, but it rains too much and too often.

The people are very friendly but they like to get the best of the bargain in a trade. That's to be expected, because they have been without good things for a long time. They don't like to talk about Japs, so we don't question them too much. Some have voluntarily told us a lot about how they were treated by the Japs and it sounded none too good.

"I have received a few copies of the 'Herald' and I have read them so much that I know them by heart. There is nothing that helps a fellow as much as the news from home. I got three copies of it at once and no one could make me do anything until I had read every word in them.

"The only Hamlin boy I have seen since being here was Lt. Durwood Locke. We got to talk for only a few minutes, but it surely was good to talk to someone from Hamlin again. Always a friend, T/Sgt. Norman Lasseter."

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## About Soldiers--Sailors

Corporal and Mrs. DeFrance Burton arrived in Abilene, Monday, from Yuma, Arizona, where he had been training at Radio Gunners School. They visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burton, in Abilene, and came over to Hamlin, Tuesday, to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dillingham. DeFrance says he met a Hamlin boy, Lt. J. R. Elliott in Yuma a few days ago, and he is doing fine handling B-17s. DeFrance will go next to Lincoln, Neb., and will likely train to be a crew member of a big bomber.

S&amp;S

Pfc. Fred Leopold and wife are the proud parents of a nine pound son, born at Rotan on March 24. The father came home from Dodge City for the event. Mrs. Leopold is the former Mary Elizabeth Tindal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Tindal of Hamlin.

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### COMPLETED COURSE IN RADIO

Frank E. Benham, Radioman Third Class, of Hamlin, Texas, has completed an eight-week course of instruction in radio transmission and maintenance at the Press Wireless Institute, Hicksville, Long Island, New York.

In graduation exercises at the Institute, Benham, along with 24 other Navy men, was presented with a certificate signifying successful completion of the course.

Before the Institute undertook the instruction of Navy personnel, it graduated more than 1,500 officers and enlisted men of the Army Signal Corps. Benham was a member of the second class conducted for the Navy. Men from fifteen states representing nearly all section of the country were in the class. (Official News Release, USN.)

(Ellis was at home last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Benham. He left Sunday for San Francisco to await further orders.)

S&amp;S

Captain Carl F. Greenway, of Orlando, Fla., is spending a leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Greenway. He will leave Monday for Mather Field, Calif., for a new assignment.

S&amp;S

Pvt. Lila Ford Stone returned Saturday to Camp Hood after being at home with his wife and little son, Sperland, who was seriously ill. This young man has been in the Army three months. He was a farmer prior to induction into the armed forces.

S&amp;S

Glen O. Butler, S 1/c, of Galveston, is spending a two weeks' leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Butler.

Captain Carolyn Greenway (Air Corps WAC) came down from Sheppard Field last Saturday night, where she had been a few days on official business. She is stationed at Denver, Colo., in the Headquarters of the Army Air Forces for this area. She has been in the WAC service about 32 months and was promoted to the rank of Captain three months ago.

Capt. Greenway is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Greenway. She has three brothers in service: Warren W. Greenway, a paratrooper at the Rhine; Howard Greenway, AM 1/c, in the Pacific; and Pfc. Guy Greenway, stationed at Randolph Field.

Capt. Greenway is with the Eighth Air Force, M. P. Division, stationed somewhere near London, England. The Eighth Air Force is under the command of famous Jimmy Doolittle. Pfc. York writes his sister, Mrs. Llera Drummond, that he recently saw numerous places of interest, among them, Big Ben, London Bridge, No. 10 Downing Street and Buckingham Palace.

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Road Show Prices	
MATINEES (1 to 6 P. M.)	
Adults (Tax Incl.)	76c
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NIGHT PRICES APPLY ALL DAY SUNDAY	
This Picture Will Not Be Shown Anywhere at Lower Prices Until 1946.	

## Mrs. Rufus Herbst Hostess To H. D. Club

The importance of repairs and care of small equipment in the home was stressed by Mrs. Geraldene McCullough, Fisher County Home Demonstration Agent, at a meeting of the McCaulley Club, March 21, in the home of Mrs. Rufus Herbst.

Detailed information was given by Mrs. McCullough on ways to make refrigerators and electric cords last longer and on the care and repair of other rubber goods. Instructions on making new connections with appliance plugs was given.

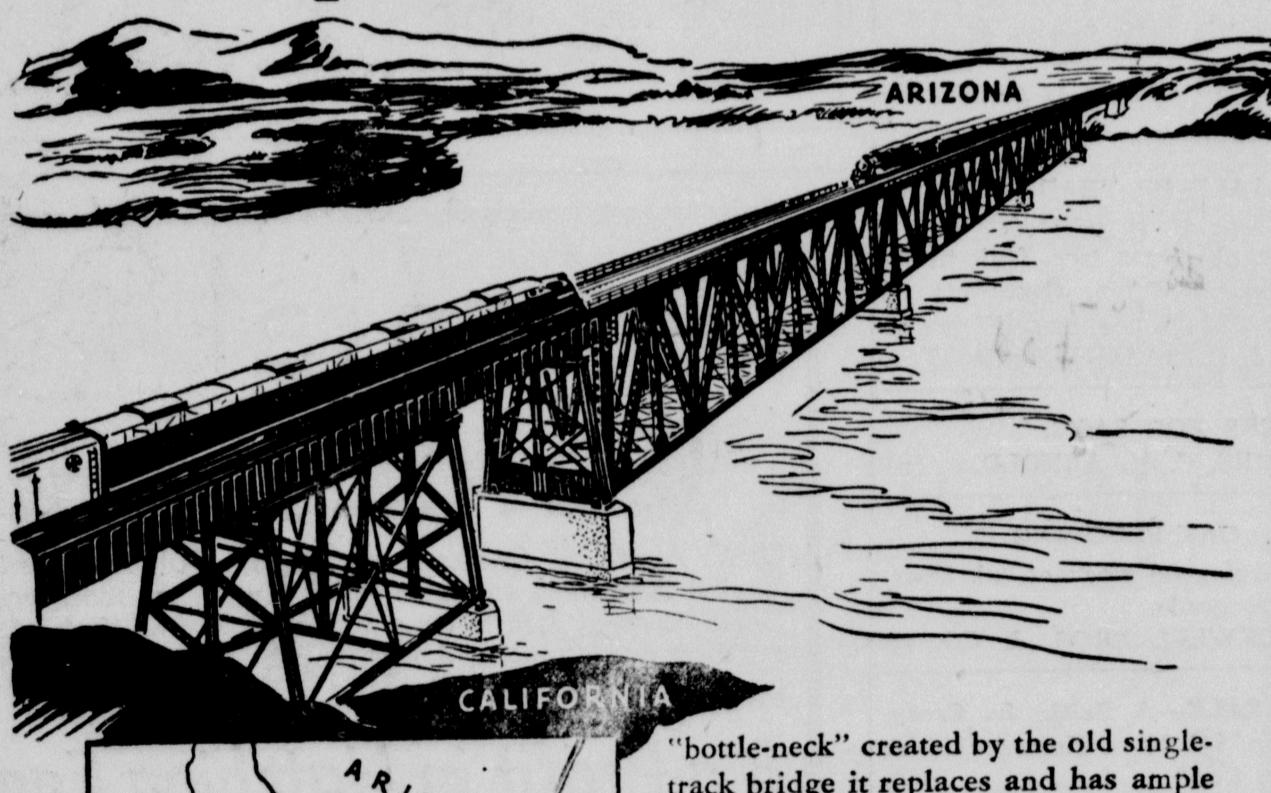
Mrs. Levi McCollum, vice president, directed the business session. Mrs. Viola Hendon spoke on "What Home Demonstration Clubs Are Do-

ing," and Miss Maxine Griffin, a visiting 4-H Club girl, gave beauty tips in her talk on the use of vegetables and dairy products for maintenance of good health and complexions. A report on the all day Council Meeting and Cooking School was given by Mrs. McCullough.

Club guests were Mrs. W. F. Davison and Mrs. G. W. Martin. Refreshment plates were passed by Mrs. Herbst and joint hostess, Mrs. Jimmie Fancher, to guests and the following members: Mmes. Levi McCollum, Horace Barton, Luthor Maberry, Olliner Lee, Omar Prather, Frank Kemp, Chas. McHone, Della Fancher, Silas Dixon, Hallie McFatter, Frank Jackson, Viola Hendon, Bertha Greggs, and John H. Reynolds.—Reporter.

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## New Santa Fe Bridge Speeds War Traffic



Santa Fe trains are now rolling across a new double-track steel bridge over the Colorado River near Topock, Arizona, speeding up vital war traffic along the route to Tokyo through California's ports of war.

This new Santa Fe bridge removes the

"bottle-neck" created by the old single-track bridge it replaces and has ample strength to take care of future requirements as to weights to be imposed on it.

The new Topock bridge is an impressive engineering feat, but it is only one step in Santa Fe's program of plant improvement—started long before Pearl Harbor. These improvements have speeded up war traffic today, and they will enable a higher standard of Santa Fe service in the days of peace to come.



SANTA FE SYSTEM LINES  
LIVING THE WEST AND SOUTHWEST

## D. A. York Celebrates Seventy-Eighth Birthday

D. A. York was surprised when his children and a group of friends gathered at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. W. Green, on Sunday, March 25, to observe his seventy-eighth birthday.

Those attending this happy occasion were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. York, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Drummond and sons, Don Thurman and Clif W., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Goodgame, James Maberry, Mrs. John Green, all of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackwell, Dorothea and Johnny of Anson; Sgt. Simms of Camp Barkeley; and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Green and children, Winston, Jan, Donald, Clifford Lee, and Patricia.

One son, Pfc. Loyd C. York, is with the armed forces stationed in England.

## Easter Party For Class

On Tuesday evening, March 20 Mrs. Herman Treadwell was hostess to members of the Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church for an Easter Party. Mrs. Cecil Brown was co-hostess.

Mrs. A. Spencer brought the devotional, after which Mrs. Treadwell gave a chalk-talk pertaining to Easter.

After an hour of games, a refreshment plate carrying out the Easter motif was served to the following: Mmes. Edward Gardner, Ben Wilcox, Lesley Shelburne, Paul Baucum, W. L. Boyd, Jr., LaFoy Patterson, B. J. Martin, H. V. Brown, A. Spencer, E. J. Whaley, and the hostesses.—Reporter.

## Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Don Gould entertained with a party, Friday afternoon, honoring her little daughter, Brenda Kay, on her fourth birthday.

The afternoon was spent in playing out-door games and taking Kodak pictures. After admiring the pretty birthday gifts, cake and ice cream were served.

Present were Jeanine and Sonyu Sandefur, Kay Shelburne, Terry Lee Hudson, Lesley Bryan Shelburne, Stephen Carmichael, Dudley Lynch, Priscilla and Lewis Shell, Guy Odom, Lana Claud Lancaster, Ronnie Owens, Patricia and Mike Bennett, Carol Jo and Faith Simpson, Brenda Hargrove, and Sue McCrary.

Gifts were sent by Lance Carmichael, Tommy and Glen Belew, and John Ferguson.

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## Easter Egg Hunt

The Beginners' Department of the First Baptist Church, under the direction of the Superintendent, Mrs. Dode Sanford, enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at the City Park, Wednesday afternoon. The departmental workers, one hundred per cent in attendance, appreciated the cooperation of the mothers on this occasion.

There were 57 present. Only one member of the department was absent.

## Handling Claims For Unemployed Veterans

Through an agreement with the Veterans Administration, the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission is handling claims for veterans for unemployment and claims from fully self-employed veterans whose net cash earnings are less than \$100.00 per month. Claims filed by unemployed veterans, if they are found eligible, will be paid weekly while claims filed by fully self-employed veterans will be paid monthly.

The Act provides that honorably discharged veterans of World War II may be entitled to readjustment allowances (unemployment compensation) provided they have had active service of ninety days or longer subsequent to September 16, 1940, or have been discharged due to a service-connected disability.

In order to be eligible for weekly benefits, a veteran must be totally unemployed or partially unemployed, and must be registered for work at an Employment Office. Also he must be able to work and available for work at the time of filing his Initial Claim. To be eligible for monthly payments, a veteran must be fully self-employed and have earned less than \$100.00 from such self-employment during the month for which a claim is filed.

Depending upon a veteran's length of service, readjustment allowances vary in duration from eight weeks to fifty-two weeks. Readjustment allowances are payable during a period of two years after discharge or termination of the present war, whichever is the later date.

A representative of the Commiss-

## FERGUSON THEATRE Hamlin, Texas,

## Friday Night

## "Up In Arms"

(TECHNICOLORED)

with DANNY KAYE

DINAH SHORE

DANA ANDREWS

—and The Goldwyn Girls—

Selected Shorts

## Sat. matinee &amp; Night

## Two Big Features

Also Selected Shorts

## "Riders of Deadline"

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## "Big Noise"

STAN LAUREL

and OLIVER HARDY

ALSO ANIMAL CARTOON

## Sunday Matinee

SUN. Night Beginning 8:45

(One Show)

## MONDAY NIGHT

## "Wing and a Prayer"

(STORY OF CARRIER X)

and "Torpedo Squadron Five"

On That Carrier

with DON AMECE

DANA ANDREWS

CHARLES BICKFORD

SIR CEDRIC HARDWICKE

Also Selected Shorts

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## "The Girl

## In The Case

with EDMUND LOWE

JANIS CARTER

—ALSO MUSICAL—

"Bonnie Lassie"

—AND COMEDY—

"She Snoops to Confuse"

Latest News Reel: Wed.-Thurs.

NO MORE MIDNIGHT SHOWS

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FARMERS &amp; MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK

AT HAMLIN

CHARTER No. 12,700

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON

MARCH 20, 1945

(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. revised statutes.)

## ASSETS

1. Loans and discounts (including \$1,830.90 overdrafts)	\$1,252,210.96
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	717,828.17
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	2,105.60
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	5,810.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$2,400.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	2,400.00
6. Cash, balance with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	641,518.11
7. Banking premises owned	\$3,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,000.00
8. Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
9. Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	NONE
10. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	NONE
11. Other assets	NONE
12. <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	\$2,626,872.94

## LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,325,657.17
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	27,657.30
15. Deposits of United States Government, (including postal savings)	99,587.85
16. Deposits of States and political	46,204.59
17. Deposits of Banks	NONE
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	12,967.93
19. <b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	\$2,512,074.84
20. Bills Payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	NONE
21. Mortgages or other liens on bank premises and other real estate	NONE
22. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	NONE
23. Other Liabilities	NONE
24. <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	\$2,512,074.84

## CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common Stock, total par	\$100—400 shares \$ 40,000.00
26. Surplus	40,000.00
27. Undivided profits	32,204.05
28. Reserves (For Taxes)	2,594.05
29. <b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT</b>	114,798.10
30. <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	\$2,626,872.94

## MEMORANDA

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	320,000.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	NONE
(e) <b>TOTAL</b> </	

## Yanks Teach Russ Boys to Chew Gum

### Flying Fortress Crews Have Lively Bombing Tour.

A UNITED STATES BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND. — Bubbling with gay anecdotes about teaching Russians to chew gum and of dancing to the tune of the "Big Bad Wolf" in a Russian general's quarters, Flying Fortress crews returned to this base after completing a two-week 7,000-mile triangular shuttle bombing tour to Russia and Italy.

Lieut. Eugene Tucker of San Jose, Calif., said he found the Russians were "more like Americans than any other people I ever met. Their sense of humor is just like ours."

Lieut. Arthur F. Nicholson of Cincinnati, Ohio, said a "bunch of Russian kids sang 'Pistol Packin' Mama' for us. The 15th air force boys had taught them the words in the first shuttle mission from Italy."

"We gave the kids chewing gum," he said, "and they wanted to give us a fistful of rubles for it. They started to chew it with the wrapper on. One little fellow swallowed it. His eyes filled with tears. An older brother got alarmed, thinking maybe it was poison."

"The Russian fliers thought the Fortresses were great and tried to buy them from us."

The Fortress crews picked up a limited Russian vocabulary. The romantic element learned "Potsilina potsiloi" meaning "Give me a kiss," and "Ja lybu chibya," Russian for "I love you." The Russians called the Yanks "hotasah tovarich," meaning "good comrades." Crewmen said the Russians particularly like to have Berlin, Budapest and Ploesti bombed, and every flier who did that they called "goodrade."

Col. Archie Old of Atlanta, Texas, commander of the Fortresses, described the mission as "a picnic."

Not a single plane was lost in combat action or by flak, though the group underwent five fighter attacks.

### Animals Enjoy Luxury

#### And Seclusion on Estate

NEW YORK.—In a seven-room house on a Rockland county estate near New York city an elderly cheetah and an aged dachshund are living in seclusion and luxury, with a joint fortune of about \$194,000. The status of the animals was revealed when Surrogate John A. McKenna conducted an examination prior to trial of the assets of the estate of the late Miss Elizabeth M. Miller, who died in 1942. Miss Miller's will, the examination disclosed, bequeathed \$6,000 to her niece, Betty Miller of Staten Island, and directed that income from the balance of the estate be used for the upkeep of her two pets. It named her attorney, Robert W. Sweeney of New York, as heir to the balance when the animals die. Deduction of the niece's \$6,000 means the dog and the leopards-like animal are worth at least \$194,000. The niece has filed objection to the will.

### Stockman Scores Hits

#### With Salt From Plane

CANYON CITY, ORE. — Clark Morris, Grant county stockman, would make a good bombardier, especially if livestock were the target.

Answering the problem of how to salt stock in the high areas of the county, Morris dropped 50-pound blocks of salt from an airplane to his stock 1,000 feet below. Local stockmen had maintained that the salt blocks would break if dropped to the range from planes, but on riding into the area, Morris found that only one block had broken and that each block had fallen within 10 feet of its objective.

Making two trips, 800 pounds of salt were distributed in 40 minutes. It would take at least four days by team and wagon to distribute that much salt, if they could make it at all. Proving that "precision bombing" works, Morris has become the local hero.

### Allies' Weapons to Be 4

#### Times Greater Than Foes'

WASHINGTON, D. C. — American and British forces are building in Europe a fire-power four times greater than that of the Germans, Acting Secretary of War Patterson said. The figures for the Pacific, he added, "will be fully as good."

Explaining that he was speaking in terms of ammunition, rather than numbers of men, Patterson said this tremendous fire-power "includes everything—small arms fire, grenades, mortars, artillery, airplane bombs and rockets."

This means, Patterson declared, "that for every bomb, shell or bullet thrown at us by the Germans, we will give them four."

### Danes Throw Pictures Of Hitler Into Bonfires

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN. — More than 1,000 bonfires burned in the streets of Copenhagen as Danish patriots continued anti-Nazi demonstrations in which 11 persons have been killed and 24 wounded. Danes ran through the streets, hurling pictures of Adolf Hitler into the fires and singing "God Save the King," the news service said, adding that British flags were hoisted at many places.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF JONES:

In the name and by authority of the State of Texas, and County of Jones, and under the provisions of Articles 7342, and 7345 b, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, notice is hereby given as follows:

TO J. A. ALLEN, ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS, ASSIGNS, AND /OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF J. A. ALLEN, DECEASED, AND ALL UNKNOWN OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY HEREIN-AFTER DESCRIBED, AND ALL PERSONS OWNING OR HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LOT, LOTS, TRACT, AND /OR TRACTS OF LAND DELINQUENT TO THE STATE OF TEXAS AND COUNTY OF JONES FOR TAXES, TO-WIT:

Being 10 acres of land out of the BBB & C Survey, Survey No. 175, Abstract No. 99, Jones County, Texas, and being the same land as described in Sheriff's Deed to N. H. Hill, dated November 4, 1930, and recorded in Volume 176, page 181, Deed Records of Jones County, Texas, to which reference is here made for all purposes.

Which said lot, lots, tract, and/or tracts are delinquent for the following amounts, \$19.26 for State Taxes, and \$129.85 for County taxes, \$4.80 for Road District No. 1 Taxes, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, in the sum of \$20.15, and there is included in this suit all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law;

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas, for itself and in behalf of Jones County and for the use and benefit of Jones County Road District No. 1, a municipal corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas, and being a political subdivision whose taxes are assessed and collected by the Assessor and Collector of Taxes of said county, as Plaintiff, against N. H. Hill, all the Unknown Heirs, Assigns, and/or Legal Representatives of N. H. Hill, deceased, all the Unknown Owners of the property hereinabove described, the City of Hamlin, a municipal corporation, and the Hamlin Independent School District, a municipal corporation, as Defendants in a certain suit styled The State of Texas vs. N. H. Hill, et al, for collection of said taxes, and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Jones County, Texas, 104th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 6759, and each and all parties to this suit shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which shall hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and you are commanded, by service of this citation, which will be served by publication of this notice one time a week for three consecutive weeks prior to the return day hereof, to appear and defend such suit on the first day of the next term of the District Court of Jones County, State of Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof in the City of Anson on the 3rd Monday in April, 1945 being the 16th day of April, A.D. 1945, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said lot, lots, tract, and/or tracts and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon, for taxes due the parties as set out above, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law, and all costs of this suit.

Witness, Wm. B. Teague, Clerk of the District Court of Jones County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Anson, Jones County, Texas, this 22nd day of March, A.D., 1945.

Wm. B. Teague, Clerk of District Court, Jones County, Texas, 104th Judicial District.

Issued this 22nd day of March, A.D., 1945.

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Over 60 Tons Supplies  
Reach Philippines

MANILA.—More than 60 tons of clothing and emergency supplies have arrived on Luzon, comprising the first shipment of nearly one million garments being sent to the Philippines by the American Red Cross. The supplies were distributed immediately to civilian casualties in and near Manila through army civil affairs section under Red Cross supervision.

The first supplies, 10,000 bed shirts, were distributed to military and civilian hospitals. Red Cross representatives also are making direct distribution to liberated civilian in-

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Lots 1 and 2 in Block 12 of the Original Town of Hamlin, Texas, and being the same land as described in Sheriff's Deed to N. H. Hill, dated November 4, 1930, and recorded in Volume 176, page 181, Deed Records of Jones County, Texas, to which reference is here made for all purposes.

Which said lot, lots, tract, and/or tracts are delinquent for the following amounts, \$130.36 for State Taxes, and \$129.85 for County taxes, \$41.05 for Jones County Road District No. 1 taxes exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, in the sum of \$157.04, and there is included in this suit all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law;

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Wm. B. Teague, Clerk of District Court, Jones County, Texas, 104th Judicial District.

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(20-38)

ternees and prisoners of war, and to civilian non-casualties upon recommendation of the army.

The supplies were unloaded at a West Luzon port and transhipped to Manila by air, several army units assisting. Additional Red Cross supplies for civilians are being shipped from the United States at the request of the military authorities.

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50 Copies of Lieut. Ted Miles' "BENEFITS AND LAWS FOR SERVICEMEN" at the Herald Office—15c each. Get one and see what is due your son.

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We will sharpen your Mower and you do the "pushing." A sharp mower is easy on your back. Keep it sharp—Bring it to me.

M. P. MAY (20-38)

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Y. A. MCNEILL. (20-2p)

### SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED

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### See Me for City or Farm Loans.

H. O. CASSLE

### SEWER TILE

We have truck load 4-inch Clay Sewer Tile and all the fittings. Plenty drain tile.

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### SUDAN SEED—State tested and recleaned, for sale at my farm and Albritton Food Store.

E. C. DAVIS. (19-4p)

### FOR SALE

5 room house with bath, newly conditioned.

3 room house, New.

2 room house, newly conditioned. All three houses one block west of High School, shown by appointment only.

270 acres black land, 240 acres in cultivation, new four room house with bath, well water and mill, 185 acres in wheat, all rent goes on wheat until April 1; all minerals intact, 7 miles from Hamlin on gravel road. Price \$62.50 per acre.

D. M. WHITE  
Office Over Waggoner Drug

### WATER HEATERS

Plenty water heaters, both natural gas and butane.

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### WANT TO BUY Sewing Machine

in good condition.

MRS. R. E. SMITH, 1½ miles north of East Cemetery. (p)

### FOR SALE OR TRADE—74-Acre

Farm, three room house, good well of water, old pecan tree, fruit trees; 60 acres cultivation. Southwest of Abilene. \$20.00 per acre. Write or contact J. B. GATLIN, Snyder, Tex.

### FRYERS FOR SALE.

MRS. C. M. ARNOLD. (p)

### OAK FLOORING

We have good stock of oak flooring, good grade.

ROCKWELL BROS. & CO.

### FOR SALE—A Baltic Jr. Cream separator, \$15.00; a Kerosene Chick Brooder, \$7.50.

MRS. JASPER HERNDON At Albert Moore's. (p)

### SUDAN SEED—Have about 1500

pounds of real clean Sudan Seed, clear of grass, at \$7.25 per 100.

L. V. MILLER.

### Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw,

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GOOD PAY  
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Time and One-Half Over 8 Hours  
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Abilene, Texas

Dr. Jessica Raiche of Santa Ana, California, was the first woman to fly an airplane in the United States. She flew a plane at Mineola Field, Long Island, in 1910.

## WHAT ABOUT YOUR EYES?

Are you sure your eyes are doing their part to help you keep up with today's production pace? If not, seek a proven eyesight specialist and get scientific information. Don't you know eyes are rationed, too, and may need help? You are allowed only one pair. So,

"SEE BAKER

SEE BETTER"

AT HAMLIN HOTEL  
Wed., April 4th, ONLY

### ELECTION NOTICE

Pursuant to an order issued by Joe L. Culbertson, Mayor of the City of Hamlin, Hamlin, Texas, Notice is hereby given that a General Election will be held on the 3rd day of April, 1945, at the City Hall, in the City of Hamlin, Texas, for the following purpose, viz:

THE ELECTION OF TWO ALDERMEN of the City of Hamlin, Texas.  
JOE L. CULBERTSON, Mayor,  
City of Hamlin, Texas. (20-3)

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### Trustee Election Notice

Pursuant to an order issued by the Hamlin School Board, notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the high school building on Saturday, April 7, for the purpose of electing two School Trustees.

L. H. McBride, Chairman,  
Hamlin Ind. School District.

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Waggoner Drug Co.

PRESCRIPTIONS—  
A SPECIALTY

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### Miss Faye Hunter Bride Of Lt. T. L. Thomas

Miss Faye Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hunter, Sr., and Lt. Thurston L. Thomas, son of Mr. C. L. Thomas of Amarillo, were married Saturday afternoon, March 17, in a double ring ceremony at the Abilene Army Air Base chapel.

The only attendants were Lt. and Mrs. Claude P. Day of Abilene.

The bride wore an aqua blue two piece wool suit with black accessories. Her corsage was gardenias.

Mrs. Thomas is a graduate of Hamlin High School and attended school in Abilene.

Lieutenant Thomas is a graduate of Roswell, New Mexico, High School and attended New Mexico Military Institute for two years, and is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, statistics, reported.

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WILMINGTON, DEL.—Russia is purchasing rights to the process for making neoprene synthetic rubber as a result of negotiations requested by the U. S. government, the E. I. Du Pont de Nemours and company, which developed the process, announced.

Under an agreement dated June 22, no compensation for the production of neoprene will be asked of Russia while that nation is at war against Germany, the announcement said.

### Boxing Bouts Favored

#### By Army Men in Field

BLYTHEVILLE ARMY AIR FIELD, ARK.—According to Capt. O. L. Benson, special service officer here, boxing bouts are the most popular form of entertainment for the field personnel. Captain Benson reports that more officers and men turn out for boxing bouts sponsored by the athletic department than attend any other recreational feature. Baseball ranks second.

### Russians Call Yanks

#### 'Hotasah Tovarich'

A BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND.—Fortress crews on the triple shuttle raid to Russia and Italy picked up a Russian vocabulary. They learned "potislima-potsilol," means "give me a kiss." "Ja lyub chibya" is Russian for "I love you." The Russians called the Yanks "hotasah tovarich," meaning "good comrades."

### Everybody Aids In Crop Reports

600,000 Farmers Keep U. S.  
Posted on Conditions;  
Interest Is Keen.

WASHINGTON.—The periodic crop outlook reports issued by the U. S. department of agriculture are based on the work of some 600,000 farmer reporters in 48 states and a corps of merchants, bankers, warehousemen, processors and others who cooperate in sending information to the government, Paul L.

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### Farewell Party Honors Navy Man

A farewell party was given Wednesday night of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Prather, Sr., honoring their son, O. C. Prather, Jr., Signalman in the United States Navy. He left Thursday for San Francisco, after spending a 20-day leave at home. O. C. had recently returned from eight months' duty in the South Pacific.

Other guests in the Prather home were Miss Marian Martin of Rule, Mrs. Leslie Phillips and daughters of Munday; and Charlene Mustain and Martha Hicks.

Call 241 and tell us your news.

Miss Lucille Willis and Miss Helen McCrary, of Sweetwater, were here last week end to visit friends.

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## POT-SHOTS FROM McCARLLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

A Trustee Election in McCaulley Saturday, April 7. Eighty voters turned out the last election. Might as well get the benefit of your poll tax.

T/Sgt. Owen Mason, overseas, will get the Herald for another year with the compliments of his uncle, Ed Mason, of McCaulley.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miers over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Miers and children of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Miers and children of Hobbs, Machinist Mate 1/c Joe Miers of the Seabees and wife and Jamie Wall, the Geo. Dardens, and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Yates.

Mrs. Luther Maberry and daughters were shopping in Abilene one day last week.

On business in Sweetwater last week were Mrs. Geo. Maberry and Mrs. J. W. Rush.

Mrs. Dan Maberry has returned from a six weeks' visit with children in Lamesa.

Albert Hennington was selling cattle at the Abilene auction last week.

A small "twister" hit the new chicken house of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hennington last Friday night demolishing same.

Pfc. Louis Madden and Mrs. Madden, from Hobbs, N. M., are visiting parents in McCaulley and Hamlin for a few days.

Word has come that the son of Mrs. Rufus Herbst has been wounded in the South Pacific.

W. F. Davison and W. C. Kean are the owners of two brand new Ford tractors—and "them things" are hard to get.

Ben Maberry has purchased the farm known as the Vivian Madden place, just south of the Maberry farm.

A dry hole was the verdict on the J. P. Humphries farm south of McCaulley—maybe so an off-set will get oil, yet.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Inzer, of De Leon, were guests Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Inzer's niece, Mrs. L. E. Rector.

If we were to publish all the gossip, we might start a small scale war in the old home town. If it's not according to "Hoyle"—well, NIX.

Abilene wanted soldiers until they got 'em. After they got 'em, they wished they didn't have 'em—and now they have lost them and wish they had 'em back.

You can rent apartments now all over Abilene and they will even let you bring along the children. But when the "gold rush" was on—oh, no, you can't live in our apartment if you have been so unfortunate to bring children into the world.

It will be a long time before people from surrounding towns forget the attitude of Abilene merchants. Walk into a store a few months ago, "in the gold rush days," you were

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## CATTLEMEN BUY REGISTERED JERSEY STOCK RECENTLY

The American Jersey Cattle Club reports that recently, Weldon R. Townsend, of Hamlin, purchased Pioneer Sybil May, No. 1464392, and that H. L. Ford, of Hamlin, purchased three, Nadine Rosine, No. 991813; Noble Observer Peggy, No. 1267124; and Wonderful Nobly Fairy, No. 1360293.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many kind, sympathetic words and deeds extended to us following the loss of our son and brother, Pvt. Troy Ford, killed on Iwo Jima, February 27. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ford, and Family.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. LaBaume, and Family.

## SYLVESTER

## NEWS ITEMS

By Merrena Vaughan

We are very glad to have Miss May Baker home. She had spent several months with an aunt in Magnolia, Ark.

Miss Leona Whitten, of Clovis, N. M., visited her parents last week, also getting to visit with her brother, Pfc. Creston Whitten, who was on furlough.

We are very sorry to learn that Second Lieutenant Albert Spann, Jr., has been missing in action since Feb. 25 over Italian territory. Lt. Spann finished high school here and later attended McMurry College.

Friends here were notified last week of the sudden death of Mrs. W. D. Scott of Austin, Texas. The Scott's lived here for many years. The family has our deepest sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards have been notified that their son, Cpl. Glenn Edwards, has been transferred to the Infantry from the A.A.F. Also Cpl. Jack Robinson has made the same change.

Mrs. Pearl Kemp is nursing a

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broken foot but is doing nicely.

Robert Lewis Lawlis, wife and baby are visiting in the L. P. Lawlis' home. Robert Lewis is with the Naval Air Corps and has seen many of the Pacific islands. (Sorry we don't know his rating.)

Mrs. A. H. Ash spent several days in the Callan Hospital and is still with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Maberry of Rotan.

Mrs. Cabaness is home after a few days in Callan Hospital.

Rev. Walter Devers, of Eunice, New Mexico, has been called and has accepted the pastorate of the Sylvester Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Moffett and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy King attended a banquet and state meeting of the Lions Club in Stephenville on Monday night.

Mrs. C. H. McCleary, of Honey Grove, and Mrs. H. G. Breneman, of Paris, are spending the week here with their sister, Mrs. R. H. McCurdy, and husband.

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Coffee	1-Lb. Pkg. 23¢
Coffee	2 1-Lb. Pkgs. 41¢
Coffee	1-Lb. Jar 34¢
Canterbury Tea	1/4-Lb. Pkg. 23¢
Hemo	1-Lb. Jar 59¢

## Quality Meats

Beef Liver	Sliced (4 Points)	Lb. 35¢
Sliced Salami	(5 Pts.)	Lb. 29¢
Baked Loaves	Asstd. (3 Pts.)	Lb. 29¢
Frankfurters	Large Size (5 Pts.)	Lb. 32¢
Bologna	Sliced (3 Points)	Lb. 29¢
Beef Stew	Short Ribs (3 Points)	Lb. 17¢
Hamburger	Fresh Ground (6 Points)	Lb. 25¢
Brick Chili	Easily Prepared (3 Points)	1-Lb. Pkg. 35¢

## Sea Food - Point Free

Whiting	Ocean Fish	Lb. 21¢
Select Oysters	Eastern	Lb. 85¢

## Farm-Fresh Produce

Apples	Delicious or Rome Beauty	Lb. 13¢
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Texas Oranges		Lb. 7¢
Grapefruit	Texas Marsh Seedless	Lb. 6¢
Oranges	California Navel	Lb. 9¢
Lemons	Extra Fancy California	Lb. 11¢
Texas Carrots		5¢
Lettuce	Arizona Crisp Firm Heads	Lb. 12¢
Florida Celery		Lb. 12¢

Green Cabbage	Texas Solid	Lb. 3 1/2¢
Potatoes	No. 1 Russets	Lb. 5¢
Yellow Onions	Colorado Grown	Lb. 4¢

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